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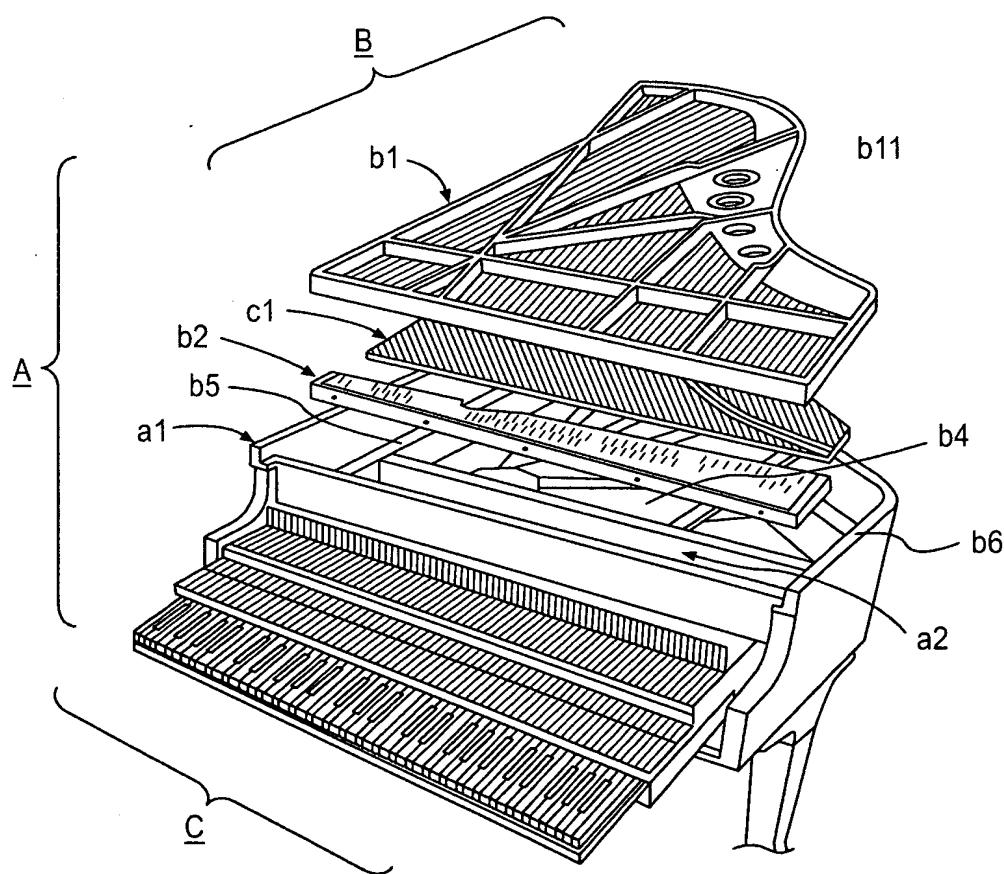
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**FIG. 1**

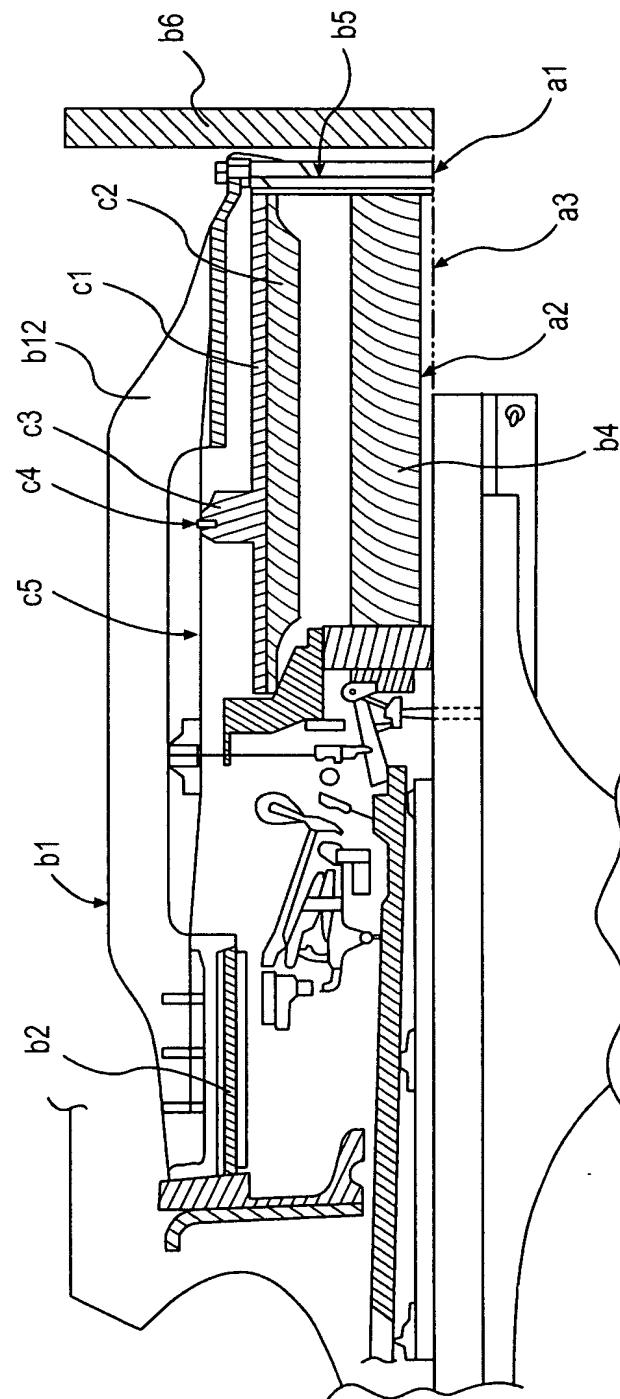
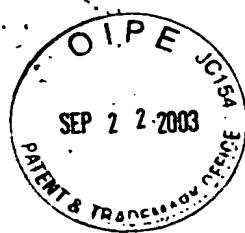
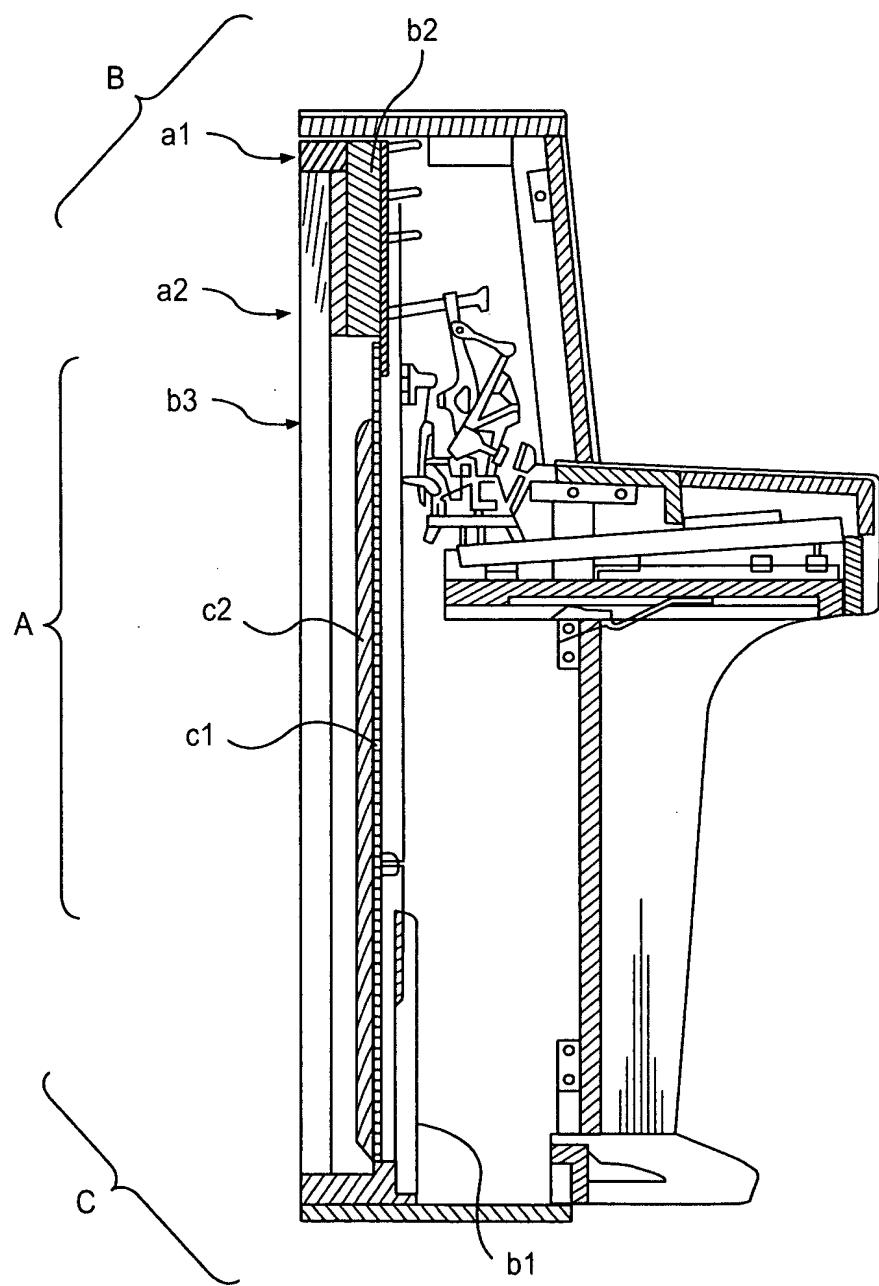
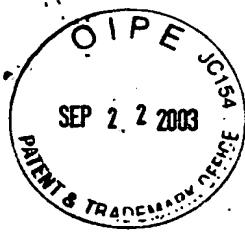


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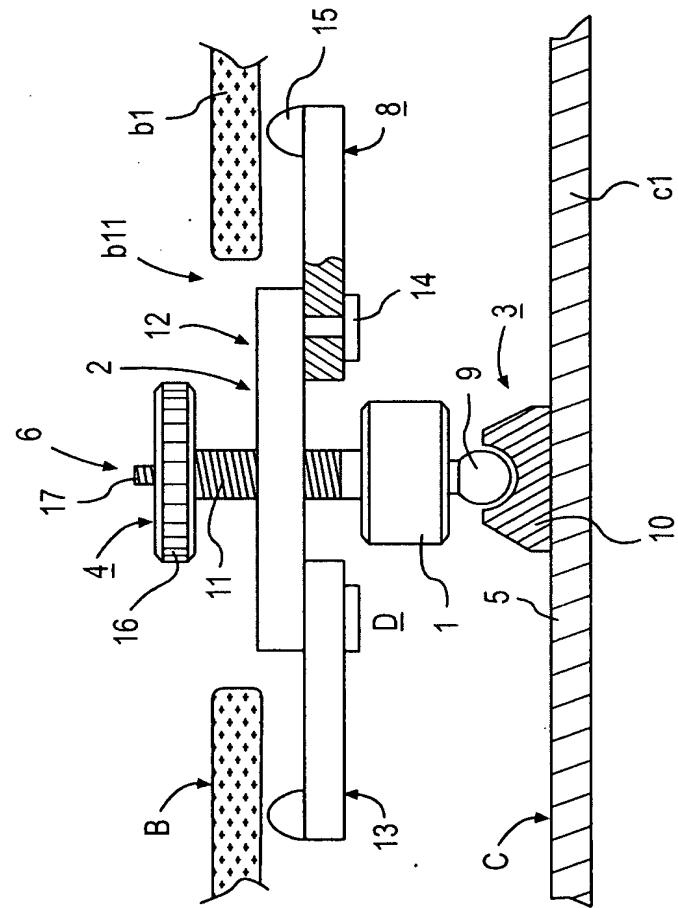
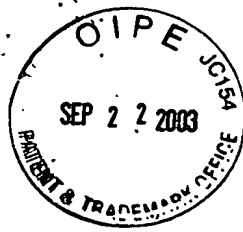
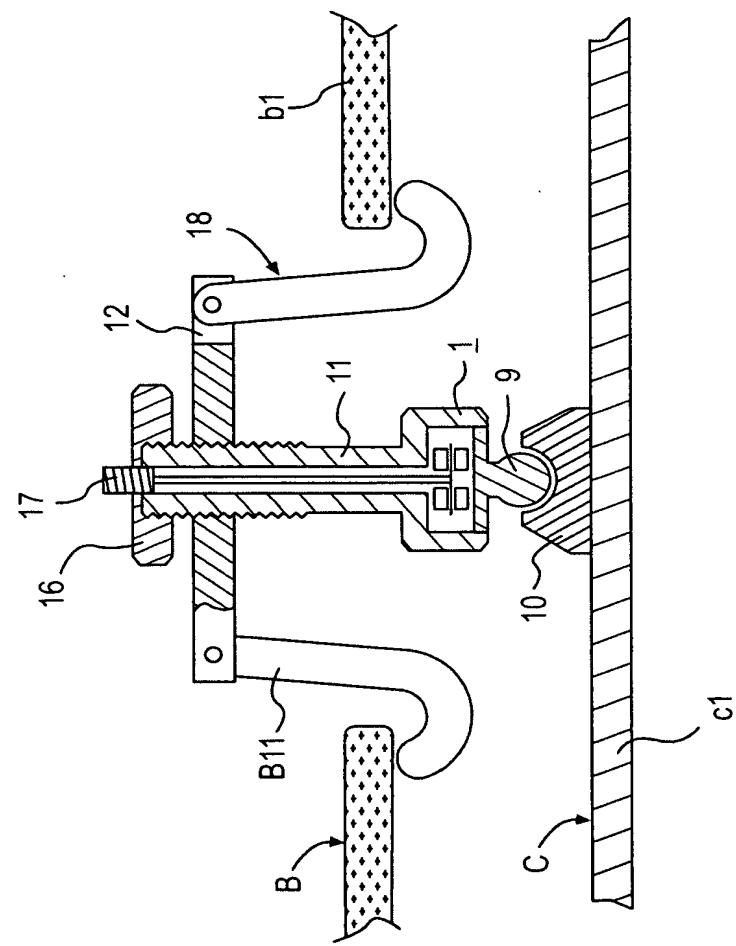


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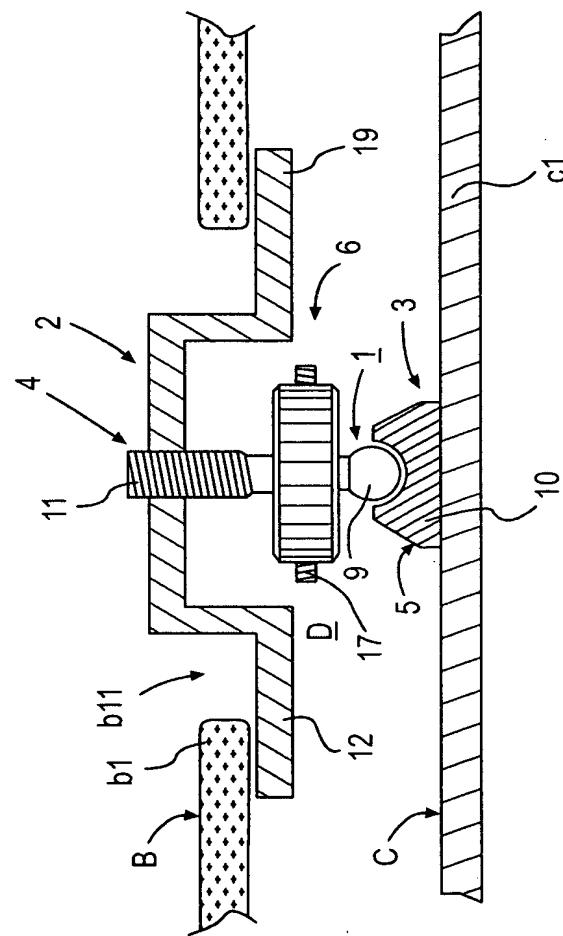


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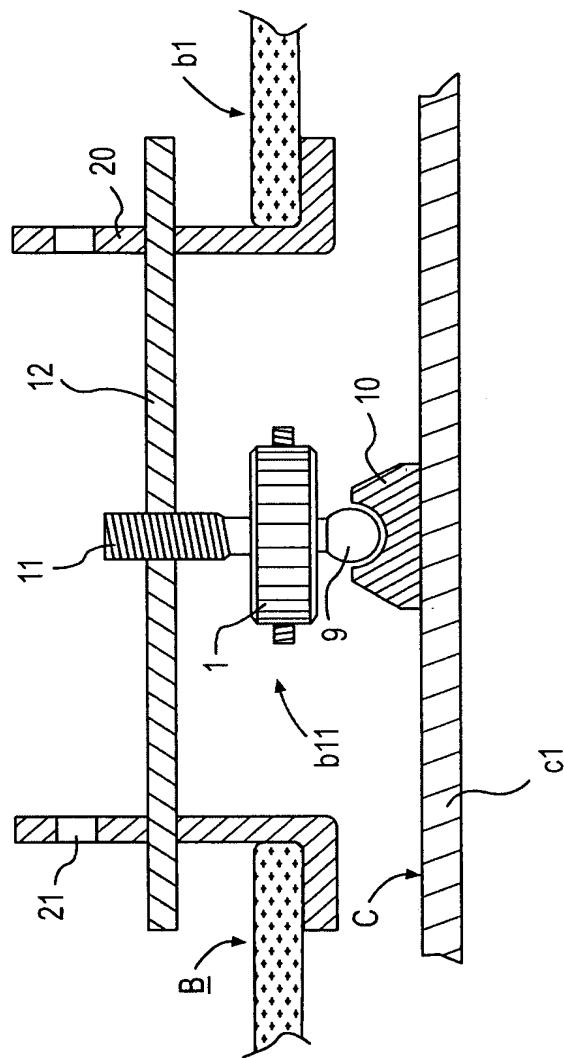
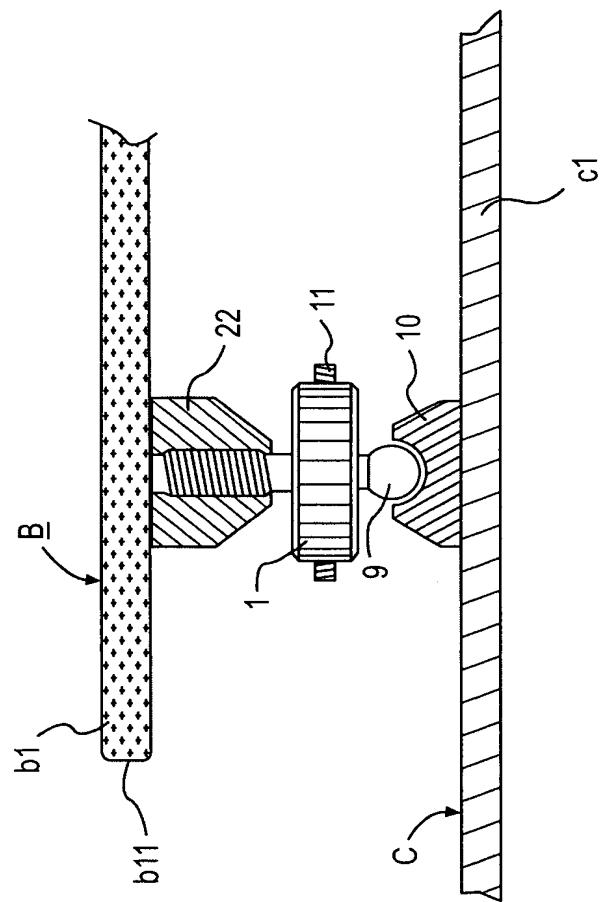


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**FIG. 8**

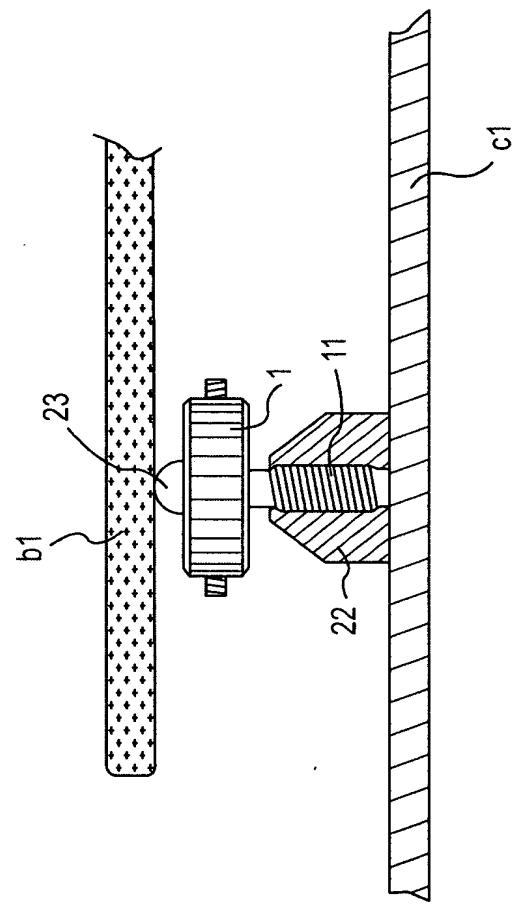
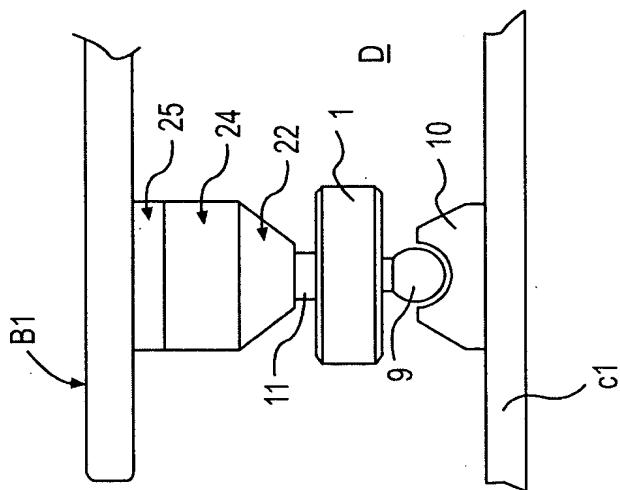
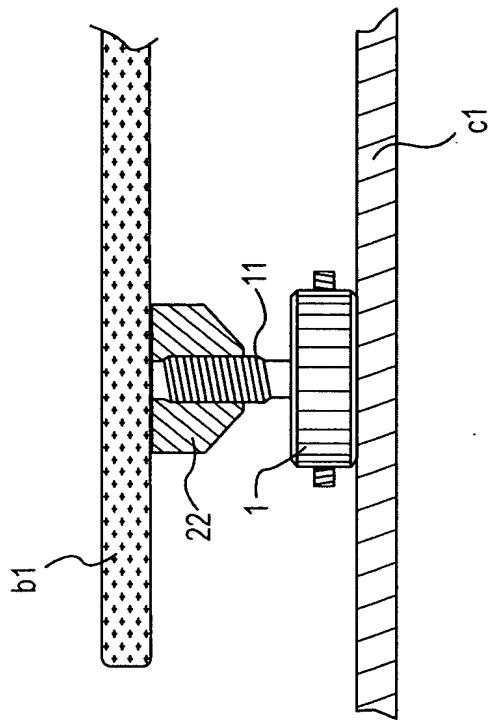


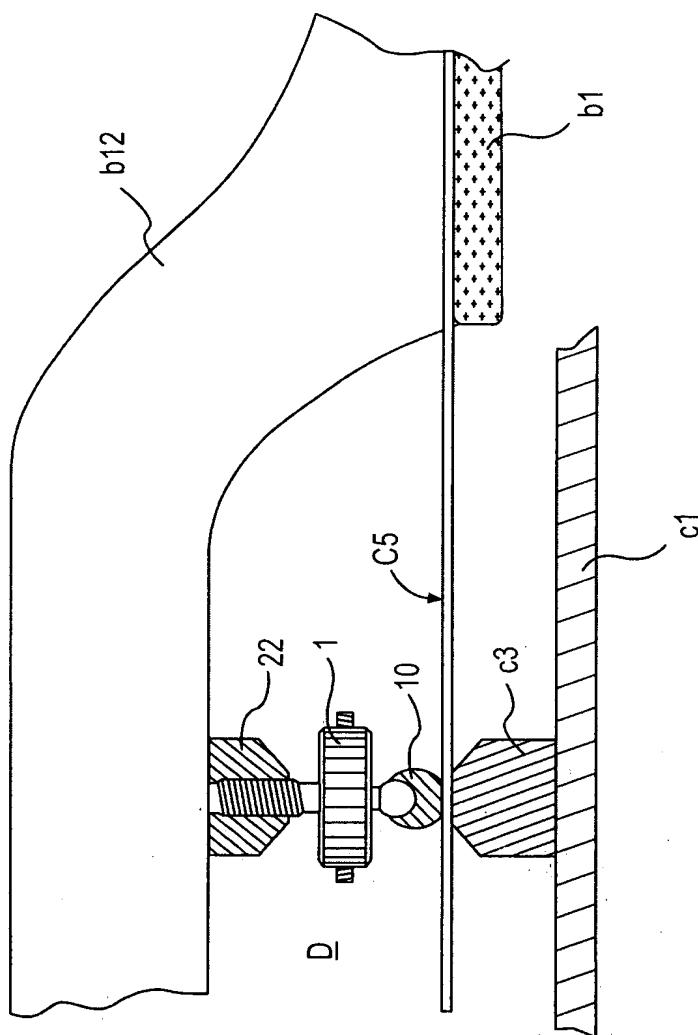
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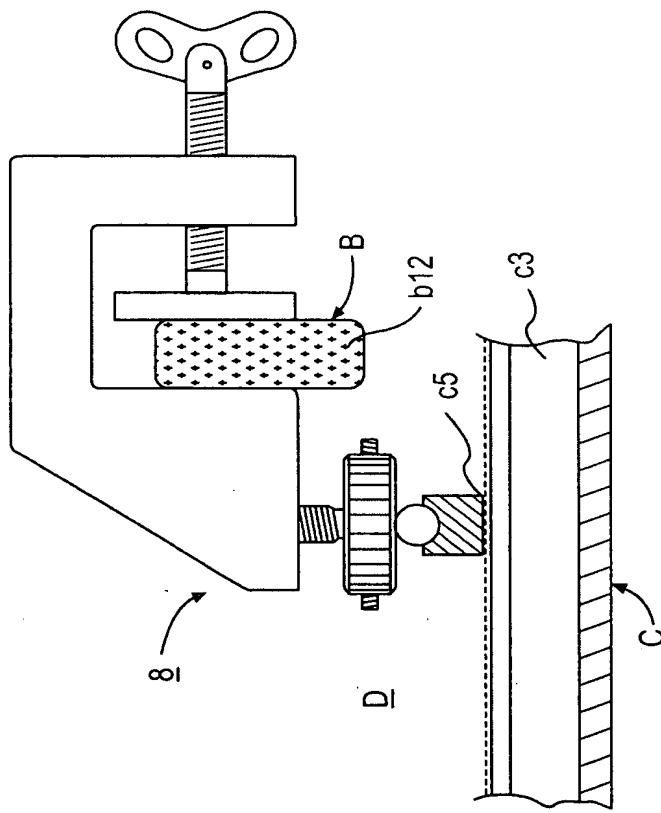
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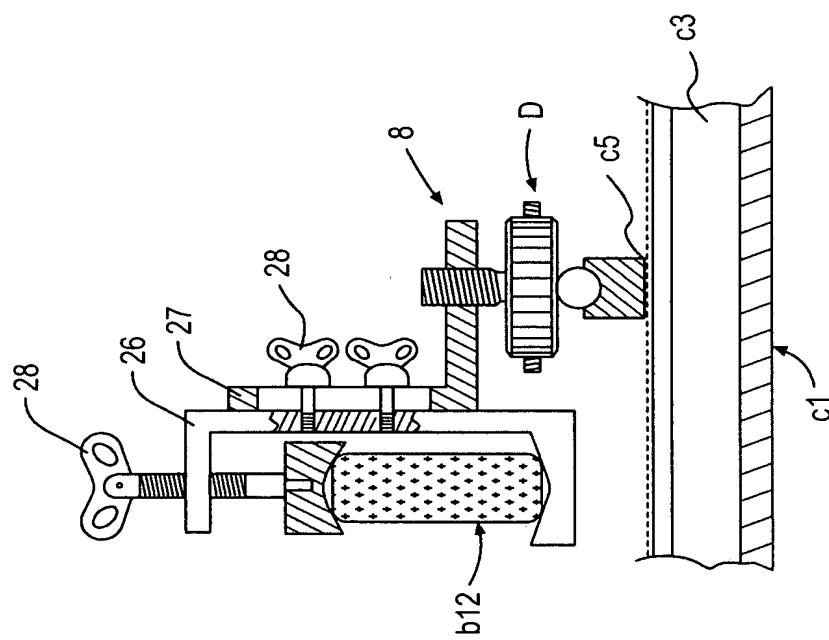
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**FIG. 12**



**FIG. 13**



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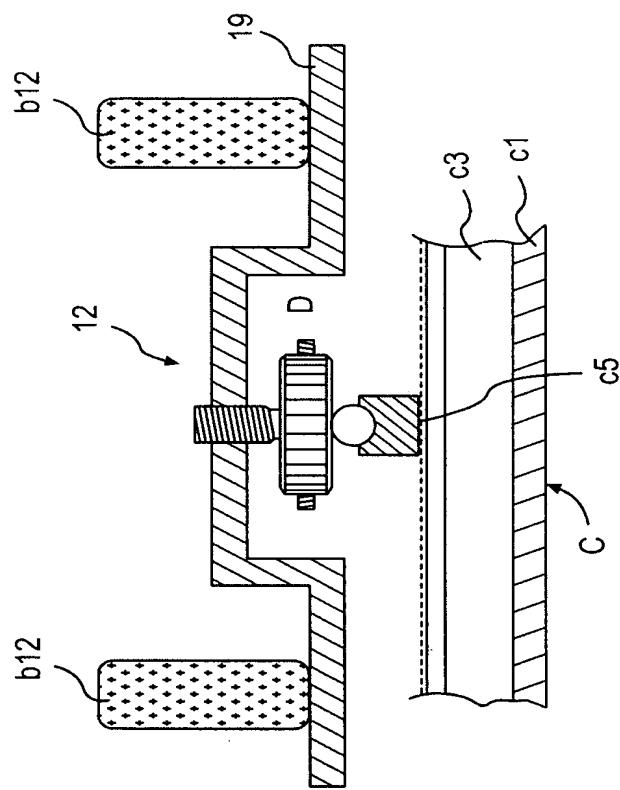
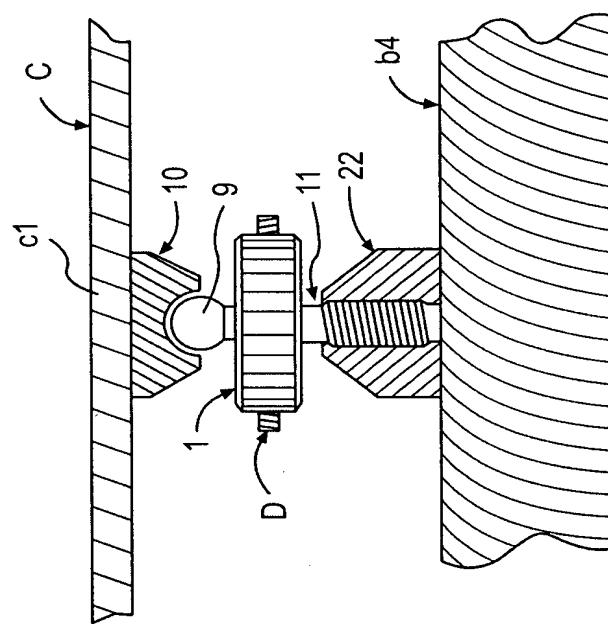


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**FIG. 16**

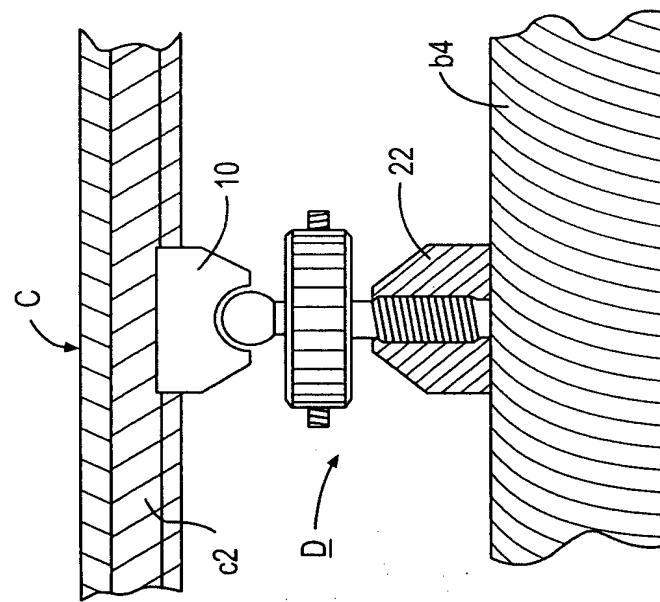
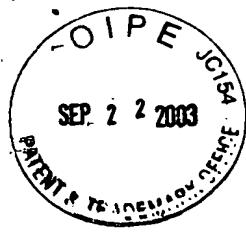
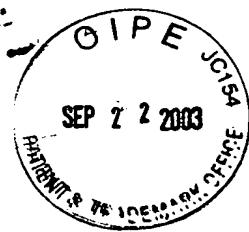


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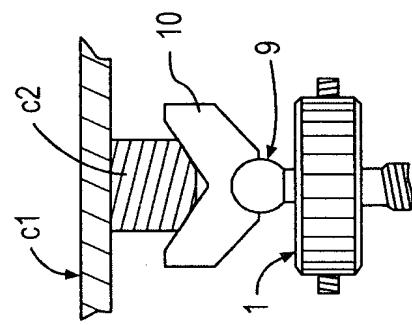
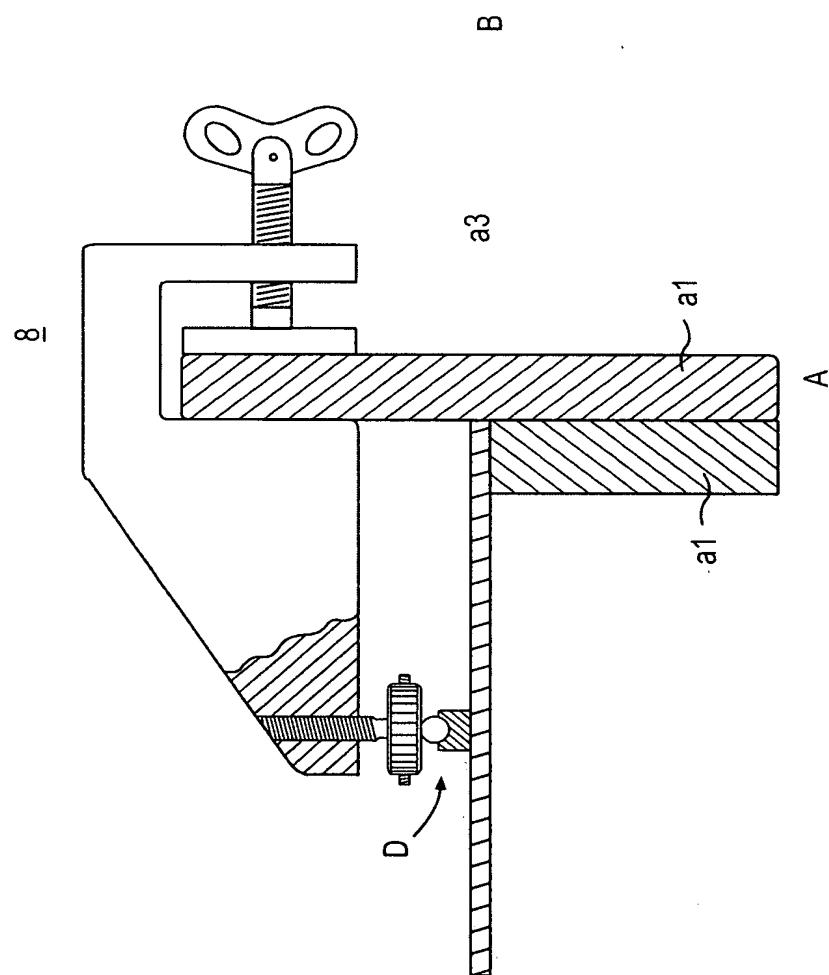
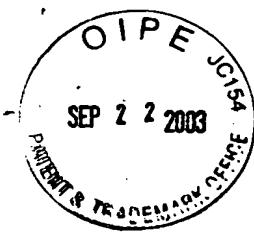


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**FIG. 19**